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FOR NEA/ARP

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ENRG, KU
SUBJ: AMINOIL ARBITRATION

REF: KUWAIT 0800 (NOTAL)

1. ON MARCH 12 AMBASSADOR RECEIVED LETTER DATED MARCH 7 WHICH AMINOIL PRESIDENT SUNDERLAND ASKED BE DELIVERED TO MINISTER OF OIL. LETTER STATES THAT SINCE KUWAIT HAS NOT NAMED AN ARBITRATOR WITHIN 60 DAYS OF AMINOIL'S DECEMBER 20TH NOTICE INITIATING ARBITRATION, AND SINCE COMPANY ON FEB. 8 (REFTEL) NAMED ITS ARBITRATOR (SIR GERALD FITZMAURICE), THE COMPANY REQUESTS THAT GOK NAME ITS ARBITRATOR WITHIN SEVEN "CLEAR" (I.E. WORKING) DAYS OF RECEIPT OF MARCH 7 LETTER. IF GOK DOES NOT DO SO, BY ARTICLE 18 OF JUNE 28, 1948 AGREEMENT BETWEEN AMINOIL AND KUWAIT AND SECTION 7 (B) OF BRITISH ARBITRATION ACT OF 1950, COMPANY WILL NAME SIR GERALD AS SOLE ARBITRATOR.

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2. WOULD APPRECIATE ARP'S INFORMING AMINOIL PRESIDENT SUNDERLAND OR VICE PRESIDENT LARRY ISON THAT ECON CHIEF BUCK HAD DELIVERED ORIGINAL OF MARCH 7 LETTER TO OIL MINISTER'S OFFICE DIRECTOR (ZABBAL) ON MARCH 13. CERTIFICATE TO THIS EFFECT, ALONG LINES OF THAT DONE FOR FEB. 8 LETTER (REFTEL) WILL BE POUCHED TO ARP FOR FORWARDING TO AMINOIL.

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